

H.R. 7218, BOLD Infrastructure for Alzheimer’s Reauthorization Act of 2024

As reported by the House Committee on Energy and Commerce on May 21, 2024

By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars	2024	2024-2029	2024-2034
Direct Spending (Outlays)	0	0	0
Revenues	0	0	0
Increase or Decrease (-) in the Deficit	0	0	0
Spending Subject to Appropriation (Outlays)	0	139	165
Increases <i>net direct spending</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2035?	No	Statutory pay-as-you-go procedures apply? No	
		Mandate Effects	
Increases <i>on-budget deficits</i> in any of the four consecutive 10-year periods beginning in 2035?	No	Contains intergovernmental mandate? No	
		Contains private-sector mandate? No	

H.R. 7218 would authorize the appropriation of \$33 million each year from 2025 through 2029 for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to provide grants to support public health awareness and evidence-based practices related to Alzheimer’s disease and related dementias. In 2024, CDC allocated \$40 million for that purpose.

Assuming appropriation of the authorized amounts and using historical spending patterns for those activities, CBO estimates that implementing H.R. 7218 would cost \$139 million over the 2024-2029 period and \$26 million after 2029.

The costs of the legislation, detailed in Table 1, fall within budget function 550 (health).

Table 1.
Estimated Increases in Spending Subject to Appropriation Under H.R. 7218

	By Fiscal Year, Millions of Dollars						2024-2029
	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029	
Authorization	0	33	33	33	33	33	165
Estimated Outlays	0	14	29	31	32	33	139

See also

[CBO’s Cost Estimates Explained](#), [CBO Describes Its Cost-Estimating Process](#), [Glossary](#)



The CBO staff contact for this estimate is Claire Hou. The estimate was reviewed by Ann E. Futrell, Senior Adviser for Budget Analysis.

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